

Youngstown State University
Academic Achievers
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Parent or Guardian/Student Contract for Academic Achievers Program at YSU

I, _____, agree to follow the expectations of the Academic Achievers program and its staff. I will attend all activities for the program except those I approve with the Academic Achievers staff in advance. I will come prepared and ready to participate in all activities.

I will maintain appropriate and respectful behavior to YSU, Academic Achievers and other staff, faculty and participants during all programming activities. Any disrespectful or violent behavior is grounds for dismissal from the Academic Achievers program.

I, the parent/guardian of _____, agree to arrange transportation for my child to attend all required Academic Achievers activities and to insure that she/he is picked-up from all activities on time. Stipends are provided to help offset the cost of transportation. Academic Achievers does not provide transportation to and from activities.

I, as parent/guardian of a student enrolled in the Academic Achievers program, will actively participate in three of the program's parental workshops per academic year.

As a parent/guardian I will need to release specific family and academic information for my student's participation in the Academic Achievers program. This includes financial and school records.

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

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Academic Achievers**



The Academic Achievers Program, funded by YSU and a private donor, is designed to enrich students' academic skills in preparation for college. Engagement in cultural and social activities will also expand students' worldview and facilitate their personal growth and development.

In order to promote academic and personal growth, Academic Achievers provides:

- ◆ After-school tutoring from 2:30– 4:00, Monday through Thursday
- ◆ Saturday Academic Enrichment Sessions
- ◆ Workshops on Financing College/FAFSA
- ◆ Summer Residential Program
- ◆ ACT Preparation Classes
- ◆ Assistance in the college search and application process

What is

Academic Achievers at YSU?

Personal Information

Academic Information

Academic Achievers is a program that emphasizes the importance of completing high school and preparing for college. The program is specifically designed for:

- *first generation college students
- *low-income students
- *other under-represented groups planning to enroll in higher education.
- *students enrolled in college prep curriculum.

Academic Achievers Participants will be given assistance in:

- ✦ Academic skills
- ✦ Personal development
- ✦ ACT preparation

In order to participate in the **Academic Achievers** program you must meet **two** or more of the following criteria.

- ✦ First generation of family to attend college
- ✦ Family income at or below 150% of federal poverty guidelines
- ✦ African American
- ✦ Native American
- ✦ Hispanic/Latino/Appalachian

In addition to:

- *Maintaining a GPA of 2.5 or above
- *Attending Warren City Schools
- *Currently be in 9th or 10th grade

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____

Alternate Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Social Security No. (required): _____

Birth Date: _____

Gender: _____

Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Current School: _____

Current Grade Level: _____

Current GPA: _____

Graduation Year: _____

OGT Test Status (*Check areas passed*):

Citizenship _____ Science _____
 Math _____ Reading _____
 Writing _____

Extra-Curricular Activities:

Favorite Subject(s): _____

Least Favorite Subject(s): _____

Who Recommended you to Academic Achievers? _____

I hereby give Academic Achievers permission to access the above-named student's academic record in order to verify the information on this application.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Student Signature